

**Franchise Tax Board****NO ANALYSIS REQUIRED**

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Related Bills: See Prior Analysis Telephone: 845-3627 Amended Date: 04-27-99  
Attorney: Pat Kusiak Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_

**SUBJECT:** Public Records/State Agencies Make Available In Electronic Format If Available & When Requested

- \_\_\_\_\_ ANALYSIS NOT REQUIRED of this bill -- Not within scope of responsibility of this department.  
\_\_\_\_\_ TECHNICAL BILL -- No program or fiscal changes to existing program.  
\_\_\_\_\_ BILL AS AMENDED NO LONGER WITHIN SCOPE of responsibility or program of the department.  
\_\_\_\_\_ TECHNICAL AMENDMENT - No change in previously submitted analysis required. Approved position of prior analysis is \_\_\_\_\_.  
\_\_\_\_\_ MINOR AMENDMENT - No change in previously submitted analysis required. Approved position of prior analysis is \_\_\_\_\_.  
X MINOR AMENDMENT - No change in approved position of Pending. See comments below.  
\_\_\_\_\_ OTHER - See comments below.

**COMMENTS:**

This bill would require any state or local agency that has public information in an electronic format to make that information available to the public in an electronic format in which the state agency holds the information. The requester would pay direct costs of duplicating the public record in an electronic format. This bill would not permit an agency to make information available only in an electronic format.

The April 27, 1999, amendment specified that a public agency would not be required to reconstruct a report in an electronic format if the agency no longer had the report itself available in an electronic format.

Except for the discussion above, the department's analysis of SB 1065 as introduced February 26, 1999, still applies.

**Board Position:**

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Date

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